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TAGS: ETRN, ASAF, US, FR

SUBJ: CIVAIR - ACCIDENT INVOLVING AIR FRANCE B-707, LA
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

1. ON APRIL 6, 1973 AT 2216 LOCAL TIME AIR FRANCE BOEING 707, FLIGHT 004 FROM LOS ANGELES TO ORLY, FRANCE STRUCK PIPER PA23-250 AZTEC U. S. REG. NO. N-5301 Y DURING TAKE- OFF FROM RUNWAY 25 R, LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. BOEING 707 WAS CLEARED FOR TAKE OFF; AZTEC TAXIED ON TO THE ACTIVE RUNWAY. BOEING 707 CARRIED 13 CREW AND 63 PASSENGERS, NO INJURIES NO FIRE REPORTED. AZTEC SUSTAINED SUBSTANTIAL DAMAGE TO VERTICAL STABILIZER, RUDDAR, RIGHT HORIZONTAL STABILIZER AND FUSILAGE. WEATHER CONDITION VFR. FAA BRUSSELS OBTAINING CREW STATEMENT AND DAMAGE REPORT ON BOEING 707.

2. NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD (NTSB) INVESTIGATING ACCIDENT. GOF PARTICIPATION IN INVESTIGATION NOT REQUIRED, BUT WOULD BE WELCOMED IF DESIRED. FULL REPORT OF ACCIDENT WILL BE FURNISHED GOF IN ANY EVENT.

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3. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOREGOING TO APPROPRIATE GOF
OFFICIALS AND ADVISE IF GOF DESIRES PARTICIPATE IN
INVESTIGATION. ROGERS

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